Educational Opportunity Fund Program (EOF)

August 2014

Dear EOF student,

On behalf of the members of the EOF program, welcome to Fall semester 2014! As the fall semester begins I can’t help but think of my own personal experiences as a college student. Like many of you I am a 1st generation college student. My parents immigrated to the United States from Haiti with one goal they were looking for an opportunity for themselves and their children. I’ve always been amazed at the risk and the fear that they must have experienced leaving the known for the unknown, in some ways very similar to the experience of going off to college. I am fortunate because I learned from their experiences and took advantage of the opportunities presented along the way.

I say all of this because I want you to consider the opportunities presented to you in your life and what have you done with them? Being accepted into the EOF program is your opportunity. While you are enrolled at MCC remember that we offer the following services: academic, career and personal counseling, a financial aid grant as well as study skills workshops. All of the services are intended to give you the opportunity to learn, grow and ultimately graduate.

We look forward to seeing you in the office. Please feel free to call and set up an appointment or just drop in. The office hours for fall 2014 are Monday and Thursday 9-6:30 and Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 9-5.

The EOF staff is here to support you in your educational pursuits. Take advantage of the resources that the college offers as well as the EOF program. We are looking forward to working with you this year.

One final note-please join me in welcoming Miss Hema Patel to the MCC EOF Program. Miss Patel is our new Student Development Specialist. She comes to us after working at the Rutgers University EOF program for 9 years.

Sincerely,

Louis Marius Jr., Director

Educational Opportunity Fund Program

Venique Sanzone

won a Google Nexus Tablet as the 2014 Passport To Success Raffle Winner

The Fall 2014 semester begins Tuesday, September 2nd, 2014
All NEW EOF Students are required to meet with their counselor as scheduled and attend minimum of 6 workshops. Please check

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